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APPLICANT: CORNELIS OENE CIRKEL ET AL.
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FOR: ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT DEVICE WITH A SHORT CIRCUIT SWITCH
AND METHOD OF TESTING SUCH A DEVICE

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 14, 2002, the Applicants request amendment of the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE TITLE:

Replace the current title with the following title:

--ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT DEVICE WITH A SHORT CIRCUIT SWITCH USING TRANSISTORS AND METHOD OF TESTING SUCH A DEVICE--